

10/574052

IAP5 Rec'd PCT/PTO 29 MAR 2006
EV705006185US

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Masayoshi TAKAHASHI, et al.) Re: Preliminary Amendment
)
U.S. Appln. No.: not yet assigned)
) Group: not yet assigned
)
U.S. Filing Date: concurrently) Examiner: not yet assigned
herewith)
)
International Application No:)
PCT/JP2004/014561)
International Filing Date:)
28 September 2004) Our Ref: B-5926PCT 623364-3
)
For: "METHOD FOR COLLAPSING)
MICROBUBBLES") Date: March 29, 2006

MAIL STOP PCT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Attn: United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US)

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified U.S. patent application, please enter the following amendments and remarks into the prosecution history of the above-identified U.S. patent application without prejudice or disclaimer.

Amendment to the Specification begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.